Daisy Farm Crafts

Crochet Single Crochet Baby Sweater with Daisy Flowers





MATERIALS

Patons Canadiana (100% Acrylic, 100 g / 3.5 oz, 187 m / 205 yds)

2 balls Fool's Gold

1 ball of Winter White (for middle of flowers)

Button

Size I 5.5 mm hook

Scissors, tape measure, stitch markers, tapestry needle

SIZE

9 to 12 Months

STITCHES

Single Crochet (SC): Insert your hook, yarn over (YO) and pull up a loop, YO and pull through two loops on hook.

Half Double Crochet (HDC):YO, insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through all three loops on hook.

Double Crochet (DC): YO, insert your hook, YO and pull up a loop, YO and pull through two loops, YO and pull through remaining two loops.

PATTERN

Chain 43.

Row 1: Begin in the second chain from the hook with SC. SC into each stitch across the row, CH 1 and turn. Mark 9th, 15th, 29th, and 36th chain spaces with stitch markers

Row 2: Work 1 SC into each SC stitch, work [SC, CH 2, SC] into each marked st. (Move marker around the CH 2's) CH 1 and turn.

Row 3 until you have enough width through the shoulders: Repeat row 2. Always work [SC, CH 2, SC] around the CH 2's of the previous round.

For size 9-12 months I joined on row 16 for the armholes.

ROW 16: Work 1 SC into each st to the CH 2's. 1 SC around CH 2's, skip over each stitch to the next CH 2's. Work 1 SC around CH 2's. 1 SC into each stitch across to the next CH 2's, skip over each stitch to the next CH 2's, work 1 SC around CH 2's and each stitch to the end of the row. CH 1 and turn.

Bodice: Work 1 SC into each stitch. CH 1 and turn.

Work as many rows needed for length.

Trim:

Turn sweater to work up the side placket. Work 2 SC at the end of one row, skip a row. Continue working 1 SC around the neckline and continue down the other side placket as before. CH 1 and turn.

Work 1 SC into each stitch back toward the neckline, CH 5 or amount needed for a button loop, SL ST to the neckline corner st, continue working SC around the neckline and back down the other side.

(Tip: when looking at the front of the sweater, one side should overlap the other. Make the buttonloop on the overlapping side. You will sew the button on the shorter side. The above trim instructions might need to be modified as to when you are working the loops for the button loop.)

Bottom Trim:

SL ST into the first st, *skip one stitch, 3 DC into the next st. Skip one st, SL ST into the next st. Repeat from * across the bottom of the sweater. Tie off. Weave in the end.

Sleeves:

Pull up a loop in the base of the armhole, CH 1 and SC into that same space. SC into each stitch around, making sure you are working into the stitches as if you chained and turned. Look closely at the direction the v's are facing. Join with a SL ST to the starting SC, CH 1 and turn.

Work rounds of SC always joining with a SL ST, CH 1 and turn each round until you have the length needed minus 2 rows.

PATTERN

Work *1 SC, then SC2tog across the next 2 SC, repeat from * in second to last round to decrease the amount of stitches. Join and turn.

Work 1 SC into each st around, join and tie off.

Flowers:

Make a magic circle and chain 1. Work 6 HDC into the magic circle. (*YO, insert hook into the middle of the circle, YO, pull up a loop, YO and pull through all loops on your hook.) Join with a SL ST to the ch 1, tie off.

With cream color, pull up a loop in the top of a cluster, *ch 4, work HDC in the 2nd chain from the hook. Work HDC in each of the remaining 2 chains. (petal made) SL ST into the top of the next cluster. Repeat from * around.

Make 7 petals total, after the last petal, SL ST to first join, then work SL ST into each st around each petal. Finish with one last SL ST, then tie off with long tails for sewing.

Position flowers and sew them onto the sweater with a tapestry needle and using the tails of the flower to sew.

Attach a button.

Thank you,

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